

GENERAL WAR NOW TALKED OF

Latest Movements of Russia and France Excites Comments in London Circles.

BOTH AMBASSADORS GO TO THEIR

Home Governments on the Same Day—The Japanese Loose in a Small Skirmish with the Russians.

London, Feb. 20.—This morning the war critics are as much at sea over the latest possible point of attack of the Japanese in the eastern war as ever. The control of the telegraph lines is so thorough that nothing authentic seems to leak through.

Talk Conflict. Falling in actual war news the discussions now take the form of queries whether France and England may not be brought into a clash through the many complications that have arisen. This is actuated by the departure of the Russian ambassador from Paris and the simultaneous departure of the French ambassador for St. Petersburg bound for Paris.

The Question. The question now is in all the evening papers: Is Europe on the verge of a serious conflict? The majority of the papers, however, discredit the chances of a general conflict to quiet the minds of the public. Another source of danger is the talk of an uprising in Russia. The Finns are ready to break out, believing they will be compelled to fight under the Russian flag.

Are Concentrating Their Army. Chofoo, Feb. 20.—Word has reached here today that the Russian land forces are being concentrated between Mukden and Ne Chwang in Manchuria. The trains of recruits are arriving there with precision.

Deny Story. St. Petersburg, Feb. 20.—It is officially denied that three Russian regiments were downed while crossing Lake Balkal. The casualties were one drowned and nineteen injured.

Offer Indemnity. St. Petersburg, Feb. 20.—The Imperial-Ukase has been issued inviting all political aspects to enter the army as privates and promising Takarag.

Leave Their Posts. London, Feb. 20.—The Russian ambassador at Paris has left his post this morning and is said to be going back immediately to St. Petersburg. Advice from St. Petersburg announces that the French ambassador has left his post there and is on his way to Paris. This is taken as being a very significant move. Papers here are discussing an international war as the result of the eastern trouble.

Jews Expelled. Berlin, Feb. 20.—The Jews have received information that the Russian government has expelled the entire Israelite population of Omak, Tomsk, Yatsuk, and all towns along the trans Siberian railway on the ground that they might betray military secrets to the Japanese. The Jews are not allowed to use the railway and must tramp to places of safety through the bitter weather. Three thousand are thus affected.

AKITSUSHIMA AWAITS RUSSIAN MANDSHOOR. Japanese Vessel Ready to Attack Sister Ship of the Korietz.

Shanghai, Feb. 20.—The gunboat Mandshoor, sister ship of the Korietz, sunk at Chemulpo, lingers here, though the Chinese have given peremptory orders to her commander to leave. The Mandshoor is moored off Shanghai Sound. Yesterday morning the Japanese Akitsushima steamed inside Woosung, a point which vessels leaving Shanghai are compelled to pass. The Japanese ship anchored off the custom house. The commander of the Mandshoor obtained Azuma, Azuma, Yakumo, Fujl.



OUR NEW INCREASE OF THE WAR DEPARTMENT ALARMS EUROPE.

MRS. PAYNE HAS LOST HER JEWELS

Wife of the Postmaster-General Misses Maid and Gems the Same Day.

(Special by Scripps-Mellae.) Washington, Feb. 20.—Mrs. H. C. Payne, the wife of Postmaster General Payne, has reported to the police today the disappearance of \$1,500 worth of jewelry, \$150 in cash, and the coincidental disappearance of her maid. Detectives have been assigned to the case.

AWFUL JUMP IN MAY WHEAT TODAY

The Chicago Market Goes Up Like a Rocket This Morning—Prices Soar.

(Special by Scripps-Mellae.) Chicago, Feb. 20.—The board of trade went wild this morning when May wheat continued the upward journey, selling from \$1.02 1/2 to \$1.04, and then at huge leaps until it struck \$1.07. The excitement was intense at this point. Corn and oats followed suit. Old July corn sold at 55 1/2; new July 55 1/2; May oats 46c. May wheat closed at \$1.05 1/2; Red sold at \$1.10.

ANOTHER SIGHT OVER IN TURKEY

Albanians Lost Five Hundred Men Killed—Turks Also Lost Heavily.

(Special by Scripps-Mellae.) Salonica, Feb. 20.—Another battle occurred between Albanian insurgents in north Albania and Turkish troops, February 18th. The Albanians were beaten, losing 500 killed or wounded. The Turks also lost heavily.

BAD ACCIDENT ON THE PAN HANDLE

East Bound Passenger Train Collides With a Freight—One Man Killed.

(Special by Scripps-Mellae.) Chicago, Feb. 20.—The Pan Handle passenger No. 6, eastbound, collided near Hobart, Indiana, early this morning with a freight train. Charles Strayer, baggage-master, was killed and Mail Clerks Bricker, Bowers, and Thomas, and passengers, E. C. Waisenberg and C. F. Haverlin, and S. A. Linder, a fireman, were seriously injured.

THE ABBOTT, THE NOTED PACER, IS

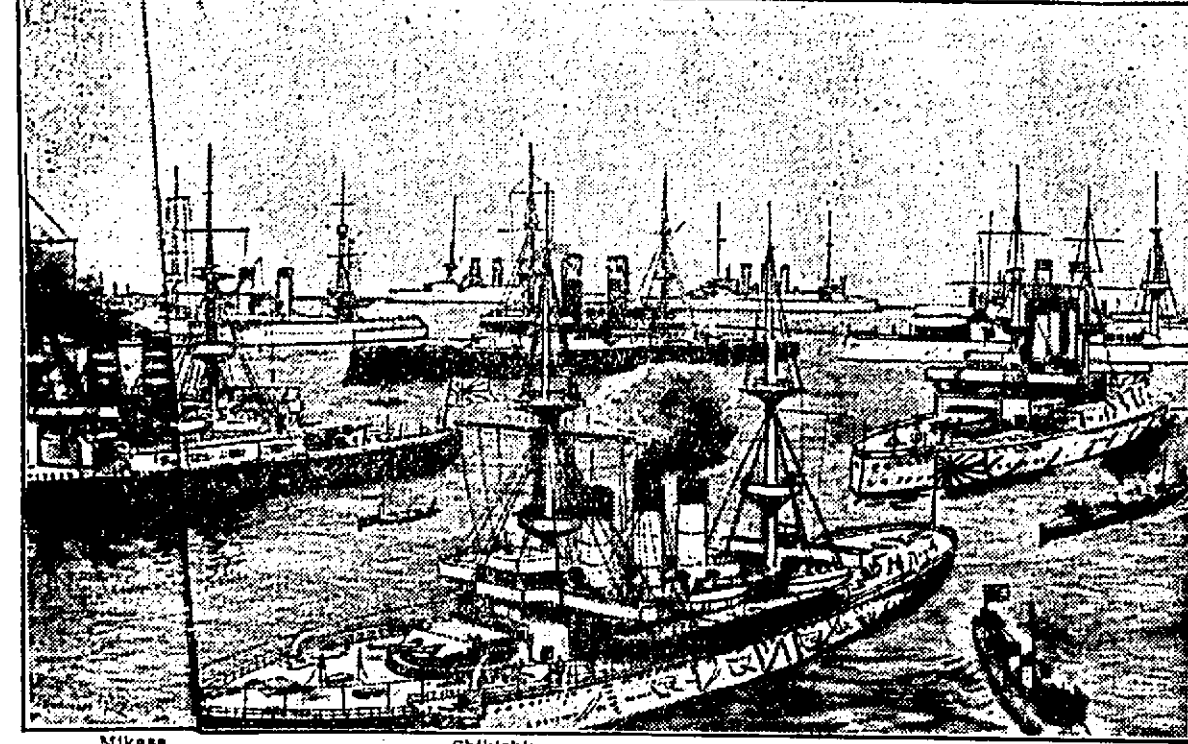
Dead—Caught a Bad Cold, Which Killed Valuable Piece of Horse Flesh.

(Special by Scripps-Mellae.) Fishkill Landing, N. Y., Feb. 20.—The Abbott, the famous trotter owned by J. J. Scannell, died this morning of a severe cold. He was valued at \$25,000. He set the world's record at 2 1/4 in 1900.



Mrs. Elizabeth Gilderbeck, who was imprisoned in the county jail at Grand Rapids, had been employed about the jail for several weeks, until it was believed she would make no attempt to leave the prison. Sheriff Elbe turned the key in the lock of her cell, but she had hidden another one. In the morning he found her cell empty. She has not yet been found.

At the New York eye and ear infirmary, New York, Miss Viola Allen, on whom an operation for ear affection was performed Sunday, is progressing satisfactorily.



TYPES OF THE JAPANESE FLEET.

to relieve them of a police supervision. Paris, Feb. 20.—There is a panic on the Bourse owing to the rumor of international confrontations in the east.

The Lie. London, Feb. 20.—The Japanese government yesterday notified foreign governments that it will consider as contraband war. The notice was received at the Japanese embassy here and the information was conveyed to the British foreign office.

Japan says that she will consider as contraband of war articles divided into two classes, as follows: First—All munitions and other things obviously intended merely as war supplies.

Second—Provisions, tools, horses, harness, fodder, vehicles, coal, timber, coins, bullion, telegraphs, telephones, and other materials when known or when it is suspected by the Japanese to be used by the enemy.

Protect America. Washington, Feb. 20.—The steps have been taken by the department looking to the sale of a hundred Americans employed in the smelters of the Orient Consolidated Mining Co., on the Yalu river in Korea.

Capture Japs. Port Arthur, Feb. 20.—An encounter between Japs and Russians on Korean territory occurred this morning. The Russians captured a small outpost of Japs after a brief engagement capturing several Japanese officers with arms and drove the remainder of the Japanese

leave to land, and consulted the Japanese consul in Shanghai. M. Pavloff, late minister to Seoul, was present.

CHINESE TROOPS ARE ON THE MARCH. Twelve Thousand En Route to Scene of Russo-Japanese War.

Tien Tsin, Feb. 20.—A force of at least 12,000 Chinese troops will proceed to Pao-Ting and Shanhai-Kwan within the next few days. Orders have been given to the railroad authorities to be prepared to transport the troops day and night if necessary. The Siberian Railroad now is absolutely closed to passengers and mails.

OPERATIONS DELAYED BY HEAVY SNOWSTORMS. Seoul, Feb. 20.—There were heavy snowstorms on the nights of the 13th and 16th. Their effect doubtless will be to delay operations. The German cruiser Thetis has sailed. The Tiger has arrived in her place with guards for the legation.

LAFIN MILLS GO UP TODAY

Three Men Killed and Fourteen Injured in a Bad Explosion in the East.

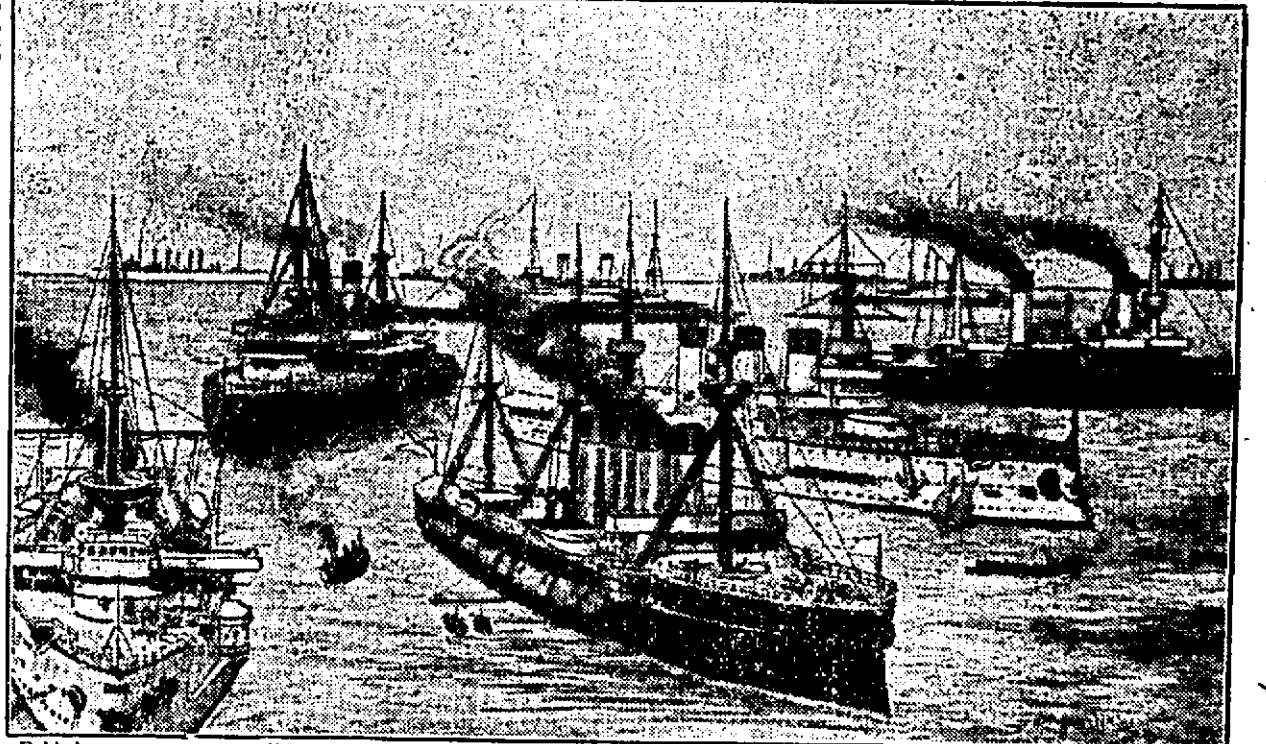
(Special by Scripps-Mellae.) Wayne, N. J., Feb. 20.—Three buildings of the Lafin Powder mills were demolished this morning and three men lost their lives and forty others injured. The accident was caused by carelessness and the force of the explosion could be felt for many miles. The dead are Fred Welmer, Al Jackson and Jas. Welt. Forty men at work at the mills all were more or less injured.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRES

Abner McKinley's condition is slightly improved. His physician refuses to express an opinion further than that he is not in imminent danger.

President Roosevelt was the recipient of the last letter written by Senator Hanna. It was written on the Tuesday prior to his death and was purely a personal note acknowledging the president's thoughtfulness and consideration in expressing his personal interest in the senator's sickness. The letter is to be photographed for preservation.

The business of the Glenwood post-office will show an increase for the fiscal year ending April 1, 1904, that will warrant an increase of \$100 in the annual salary of Postmaster Peterson.



TYPES OF THE RUSSIAN FLEET.

MAN WELL KNOWN HERE, WAS ONE OF THOSE KILLED IN A CAR EXPLOSION IN THE FAR WEST YESTERDAY.

(Special by Scripps-Mellae.) Ogden, Utah, Feb. 20.—It is now known that twenty-five persons were killed and fifteen injured in the collision of two freight trains on the Southern Pacific on Friday at Jackson, when a car of giant powder exploded. The collision was due to the failure of the brakes to work. Besides the seventeen Greek laborers, Conductor Dermody, formerly of Beaver Dam, was one of those killed.

LA FOLLETTE WOULD MAKE THE RAILWAYS TELL ALL

Who Travel on Passes in Wisconsin—A Novel Plan Is Ordered by Governor of This State.

(Special to The Gazette.) Madison, Wis., Feb. 20.—Governor La Follette, through State Railroad Commissioner J. W. Thomas, has made a demand on the railroad companies operating in Wisconsin to furnish a list of all the persons holding free or annual passes or other transportation compliments on these systems, or the parts thereof, that are in the state of Wisconsin. The exact language of the demand cannot be ascertained, other than that the names of all the Wisconsin people holding passes on the railroads in this state have been formally requested of the roads in letters sent by Commissioner Thomas. There is doubt as to whether the roads will submit the information demanded, but the friends of the governor assert that a law passed at the last session of the legislature, giving the railroad commissioner power to inspect the books and accounts of the companies and giving him authority to demand such information as he may desire, clothes him with ample authority to require the names of the

persons holding free passes. The reason for the demand is said to lie in the fact that the railroad or the political opponents of the governor's faction have exposed the fact that several official members of the administration faction have been possessed of free railroad passes and the exposures have been painful. It is not absolutely disastrous to the administration faction. Judge L. H. Bancroft, assistant attorney general, and one of the leading wheels of the La Follette machine, was charged and confessed with having possessed and used a free railroad pass in 1903. He said he took the transportation as pay for his services as the attorney of the St. Paul road at his home city, Richland Center. Governor La Follette corresponded with Attorney General Stanlevant regarding Bancroft's pass, the result being the official agreement and formal pronouncement that although, according to a New York decision, the specific act of Judge Bancroft was not a violation of the law, nevertheless holder in

August Johnson, a former Chicago man, is being held at the Racine county jail on suspicion of having stolen a horse and wagon.

At the meeting of the University Commercial club at Madison a plan to have a student union building will be laid before the student body.

John Alexander Dowle has been elected to Zion City from Sydney, N. S. W., refuting the stories which state that he was attacked by a mob in Sydney.

The police of Kenosha have begun a crusade against the blocking of railway crossings. One conductor has been arrested and fined \$15 and the costs of the action.

The Green Bay city council has adopted a resolution providing for a private investigation of existing conditions in city affairs. Mayor Taylor introduced the resolution.

COUNTY NEWS

MILTON.

Milton, Feb. 19.—The high school oratorical contest takes place at Good Templar hall Wednesday evening, Feb. 24. The Senior-Freshmen and Junior-Sophomores compete for honors. Seven contestants take part in the two ranking highest prizes. The school in the Rock River Valley League contest at Milton Junction March 8.

The next lecture in the College course will be given by the Rev. S. G. Huey of Rock Prairie, on Tuesday evening. Subject "What Counts."

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Saunders returned from their California trip this week. They had a very pleasant time, met many former Milton people and found the change of flowers to that of ice rather trying.

The College basketball team will play the Carroll college boys here on Friday next.

Crumm and Clelland did business at Rockford Tuesday.

Mrs. R. B. Tolbert has been called to Morton Park, Ill., by the illness of her husband.

Seventy of the County Asylum shook hands with Milton friends Wednesday.

L. A. Platts, Jr., came up from Chicago this week for a few days vacation from his dental studies.

Frank Carey has been on the sick list two weeks, but returned to the County farm Saturday to resume his labors.

Mrs. J. G. Carr visited Milwaukee friends this week.

Jay Campbell is quite ill, and Dr. Palmer of Adesville was called to see him Wednesday.

There is a prospect that a farmers co-operative creamery will be located in this village.

Do not let the fact that the Methodist donation occurs Monday evening escape your memory.

The College basketball team were "off" their game with the Janesville Y. M. C. A. boys Tuesday night, but they will do better next time.

The Fire Association may buy the Good Templar hall for an engine house.

R. B. Hull died at his home at Otter Creek Wednesday afternoon. Deceased has been a resident of Milton township for many years and had a large circle of friends and acquaintances.

BRODHEAD.

Brodhead, Feb. 19.—Geo. M. Pierce visited over Sunday at his home in Madison.

Mrs. Maria Naylor was the guest of friends in Beloit over Sunday.

A. M. Bowen has sufficiently recovered from his recent illness to be able to resume his duties for the American Cereal company.

Mr. and Mrs. Kilvine and daughter, Mrs. Newman, of Monroe, left Tuesday morning for a few days visit in Chicago.

S. E. Matter of Duluth arrived in the city Tuesday morning for a few days visit with his mother, Mrs. C. Matter.

Dr. H. D. Kirkpatrick left Tuesday for Milwaukee to attend the Grand Chapter meeting of the Eastern Star.

Mrs. L. A. Hodges of Monroe spent Tuesday in the city, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Mack.

J. A. Young was taken quite seriously ill last week, Thursday, but is reported somewhat better at this writing.

Miss Dinnelemund Gunderson of Stoughton was the guest of G. O. Guelson's family over Sunday.

Mr. E. T. McClure has sufficiently recovered to be able to leave the hospital at Madison, and it is expected that he will assume control of Hotel Young next week.

Mr. Norman Austin of Snarta arrived in the city on last Friday and visited with his relatives and friends here over Sunday.

Mr. O. P. Bucher, late proprietor of the Broadhead City Mills, died at his home in this city on Monday morning, February 15th. Although Mr. Bucher had not been in good health for some weeks, the end was not thought to be near. His final illness was paralysis. The funeral services were held from the Baptist church Wednesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Porterfield. All business houses were closed during the services. We shall publish a more appropriate obituary next week.

SOUTHWEST LIMA.

Southwest Lima, Feb. 18.—The weather still continues cold and disagreeable.

On account of diphtheria in the vicinity, Miss Gray closed her school for a time.

Mr. Will Harris' family are under quarantine, his wife being afflicted with diphtheria.

Adolph Kranz returned home Monday evening after a week spent with

LEIDEN.

Leiden, Feb. 18.—O. W. Donkle has sold out his store here and will move to Janesville.

Ed. Brown is on the sick list. A pleasant party was given at the home of Mr. S. Gardner's last Tuesday evening.

A good many from here attended the dance at Fulton last Monday night. All report a good time.

F. W. Boss made a business trip to Janesville last Monday.

A special school meeting was held in district No. 3 on Wednesday for the purpose of raising money to build a new school house and a building committee was appointed, consisting of Lawrence Barrett, James Lay, and E. Fish.

The snow-storm on Wednesday night has made the sleighing good again.

The sale at Frank Erdman's was well attended and everything sold for a good price.

hop: Sydney C. Matler plays the Arclangel; L. Rogers Lytton, Arkhebrand, the courtier; John Flaylay as the court fool; William H. Hinson as the Cardinal; Malcolm Bradley as a priest. Besides the company of principles for the twenty-five speaking parts, Mr. Sothern carries an army of supernumeraries, stage assistants, wardrobe mistress, electricians and property men. Altogether 150 people will appear on the stage.

Removes the microbes which impoverish the blood and circulation. Stops all trouble that interferes with nutrition. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. 35 cents. Tea or tablet form. A. Volts' Pharmacy.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

LODGE CALENDAR.

Masonic.

Western Star Lodge, No. 14, F. and A. M.—1st and 3rd Tuesday.

Janesville Lodge, No. 55, F. and A. M.—2nd and 4th Monday.

Janesville Chapter, No. 5, H. A. M.—1st and 3rd Tuesday.

Janesville Commandery, No. 2, K. E.—2nd and 4th Thursday.

Grassville Chapter, No. 69, O. E. S.—2nd and 4th Wednesday.

I. O. O. F.

Wisconsin Lodge, No. 14.—Every Wednesday.

Janesville City Lodge, No. 90.—Every Tuesday.

Rock River Encampment, No. 5.—1st and 3rd Friday.

Canton Janesville, No. 9, Patriarchs Militant.—2nd and 4th Friday.

American Lodge, No. 25, U. of M. 2nd and 4th Saturday.

Social and Athletic Club.—1st Thursday.

Janesville Lodge, No. 171, D. of M.—2nd and 4th Thursday.

Catholic Knights of Wisconsin.

Branch, No. 60.—1st Sunday.

Janesville Lodge, No. 254.—Every Tuesday.

G. A. R.

W. H. Sargent Post, No. 20.—2nd and 4th Friday.

W. H. Sargent Corps, No. 21, W. E. C.—Every alternate Tuesday.

Hibernians.

Division, No. 2.—2nd Sunday.

Knights of the Globe.

Janesville Garrison, No. 19.—2nd and 4th Tuesday.

Knights of the Macabees.

Rock River Tent, No. 51.—1st and 3rd Monday.

Rock River Hall, No. 71, Ladies of the Macabees.—1st and 3rd Monday.

Knights of Pythias.

Oriental Lodge, No. 22.—Meets every Friday.

Modern Woodmen of America.

Florence Camp No. 381.—2nd and 4th Monday.

Grassville Camp, No. 132.—2nd and 4th Wednesday.

National Union.

Janesville Council, No. 238.—1st Tuesday.

United Workmen.

Fraternity Association meets first and third Thursdays at Good Templar's hall.

Oliver Branch, No. 30.—2nd and 4th Friday.

Oliver Lodge, No. 27, Degree of Honor.

1st and 3rd Wednesday.

Laurel Lodge, No. 2, Degree of Honor.

1st and 3rd Thursday.

Begged on Tuesday, 223, Royal Arcanum.—2nd and 4th Monday.

Independent Order of Foresters.—4th Monday.

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OUR SATURDAY NIGHT.

The world is outgrowing the idea that work is a curse, a punishment, or even a discipline. Some have even gone to the other extreme and regard their work as a play, a sport, a game. They enjoy to the full the stress and suspense of the conflict, and the thrill of victory. Their work takes the place which, with other men, is filled by wife, home, love, and the delights of friendship, of books, and of art. Work absorbs every faculty of their being and it satisfies every ambition and passion. Modern business is, on so large a scale that it is not strange that some find in it the gratification of every desire. They work not so much for gain as for very joy of working.

This, it is needless to say, is an advance upon the old conception of work as a curse. It is far better to regard work as a sport than as slavery, as something to be eagerly sought after, than as a thing to be avoided. But there is a still higher conception of work, which few have adopted as the guiding principle of their lives, and which, as a grand ideal, will ultimately prevail with all. This conception of work is that it is part of a divine plan. In working a man performs his highest destiny and makes himself a partner with his Creator in the civilization of the world. Work from this point of view becomes an act of religion, a solemn function. It assumes something of the character of a sacrament. The man, therefore, who works the hardest and achieves the most is in this sense, the most religious man. In working such a man enjoys the delights of achievement, and the fruits of success, but above all will be the feeling that he is an instrument in the hands of an almighty power for the furtherance of a divine plan, and if in working he gains wealth, it is only to hold it as a trustee.

Now such a conception of work as this if generally adopted would transform the world. It would give a new charm, a new spirit, a new dignity to work. Success would no longer be regarded with suspicion and fear. The promotion of great enterprises would have much of the same significance as now attaches to some supreme act of worship or heroism. The man who built a canal, organized an industry, established a great railroad system, developed a mine, invented a new machine, or discovered a new principle of science, would be as truly a priest and a minister as one who served at the altar. Hatred of wealth would be an act of impiety, while the truest infidel would not be so much one who refused to believe, as one who refused to work for work would be the sublimest expression of faith.

There would be no labor problem under such a conception as that. Let the world accept the idea that work is the one thing that unites us closest to the Creator, that it is in the highest sense an act of devotion, and there would be no question of hours and wages of labor. Even the humblest worker would be ennobled. The digging of a ditch, the sweeping of a street, the feeding of a furnace with coal, the cleaning of a sewer, would have stamped upon it the seal of divinity. There would be no such division as capital and labor. There would be no classes. All would be workers.

This is a mere dream. It will be said. But it is a grand ideal toward which the world is making progress slowly, it is true, but surely. It has been only forty years since slavery was abolished in this country. Yet what progress has been made in that time, the world over, toward

this ideal. What a new dignity now attaches to work. It was not many years ago when work seemed degrading, when the "gentleman" was the man of leisure. Now the millionaire idler has become an object of scorn. The line once drawn between business and the professions has disappeared. The social ostracism of "trade" no longer exists. Our new leaders are captains of industry. Our young men are becoming engineers, are qualifying themselves to be experts in different lines of manufacturing. They are not afraid to soil their hands, to wear overalls, or to use tools. The man who does things has become a type of the age.

A manager of one of our largest railroads only a few years ago, on graduating from college, found, although he moved in polite society, that the only employment he could secure was as a cleaner of tools used by other workmen in a steel mill. "I will clean the tools well," he said, as he went to his humble employment; and in doing so he unlocked the door of success.

Something, therefore, has been gained. It is only a step further to the grand idea of work, as an act of worship, a divine employment, a share in the sublime scheme of creation.

Granted that the step seems a far one, and the time in which the race may reach that ideal, still each may at least adopt the ideal for himself, and thus enlighten his labor, dignify his daily task, impart a superb motive to his whole life. But he should make sure that his tools are clean, and that he does not justify means to the end. It is not so much the thing done as the doing it that constitutes this ideal. Results do not count that are achieved with tools and methods that are not clean. A man who has achieved much has really lost all unless he has worked along the lines of justice and truth.

A GOOD MOVE.

Advices come from Madison stating that a movement is on foot to have a new graduate manager elected to take the place of present graduate manager Kilpatrick. The system of a graduate is a good one and should be encouraged but when it is necessary to go outside the University proper and hire a professional runner and a man who has made a failure of every business he has undertaken then is the time to cry a halt to college athletics and no longer pose under that title. Professor Slichter the faculty member of the athletic council has opposed professional coaches for the base ball and football teams and has been unjustly criticised for his actions. If the athletic association will now dispose of Mr. Kilpatrick and engage a graduate of the University for the position they will be more in accord with their cry for pure athletics under a system of graduate coaching.

Japan may find out before long also mean there will be only one convention. This will be done to save the remnants for the governor and prevent the defection from becoming too great before the choosing is done. The La Follette state central committee, misnamed the Republican state central committee, will act as he directs and in his, not in the state or party's interest. And yet it is possible that the people may see the selfishness in these revolutionary schemes and, like the patient worm, turn and put an end to this most gigantic private trust in state offices.

When are all those great over-turnings of governments going to end up? It is even money now that France gets into a mix up over in the East before long.

Japan may find out before long that Russia can fight on land after all. Peter the Great made Russia a sea power but Peter is dead now.

It is so hard to realize that the administration could not control Iowa county after their awful hard fight.

Evidently General Bryant did reach some of the Fair Minded Democrats in Dodgeville after all.

Those dispatches of Admiral Alexoff are certainly models for future generations to follow.

Russia has decided that she was not built for a sea power.

PRESS COMMENT.

Detroit Free Press: Senator Fairbanks would be an ideal presiding officer for the United States senate. His normal temperature is about 23 degrees Fahrenheit.

Madison Democrat: Washington's birthday affords the small boy some enjoyment but the 4th of July is his favorite legal holiday.

Milwaukee Sentinel: Gov. La Follette's experience in the Third district merely furnishes another illustration of the sad fate of snark hunters who meet the boojum.

Chicago Record-Herald: Japan is going to take the space that had been reserved for Russia at the St. Louis world's fair. It looks as if the Japs were inclined to add insult to injury.

Cincinnati Commercial Tribune: Calus Marlus sniveling amid the ruins of Carthage and Baltimore going to work to rebuild on hers, indicate something of a difference between the then and the now.

Milwaukee Journal: A Lancaster, Pa., man found a girl's address in a box of cigars, wrote to her and they were married a month later. And yet there are women who talk against tobacco. But you never heard of a

man getting a wife through a box of cigars.

Eau Claire Leader: Richmond P. Hobson, who is running for Congress Alabama, on the strength of trying to choke Santiago harbor with a collier, has challenged Congressman Bankhead to meet him on the vociferous hustings. Vociferosity is not Bankhead's forte, and he declines.

Wisconsin State Journal: It remains for Ohio to choose a successor to Mr. Hanna, the legislature now being in session. The vacancy is for both a short and long term, the short term ending March 4, 1905, and the long term commencing March 4, 1905, and running until March 4, 1911.

Baraboo News: The people in Iowa county have spoken. They approve of the man who stays in Washington and attends to the people's business while paid employees of the state are away from their duties wasting the people's money in trying to defeat him.

Fond du Lac Commonwealth: The candidacy of Judge Hancock is constantly growing in favor throughout the state. He is not making war on any faction, and is not himself identified with any faction. He is in every sense of the word a harmony candidate and as such is receiving the cordial support of Republicans in every section of Wisconsin.

Chicago Chronicle: It is socialism which has filled the labor organization with a class spirit heretofore unknown in this country and which, if not checked will, in the course of another generation divide the American people into two camps, and as sharply distinguished as any that are to be seen in the old world.

El Paso Herald: Once in a while the German trots ahead of the American in evolving new business schemes and advertising dodges; a Berlin laundry offers to keep its customers supplied with shirts if they pay for the washing. American laundries occasionally work the thing just the other way around—you pay for the washing and lose the shirts.

Oshkosh Northwestern: It is claimed that Governor La Follette is planning to use the example of the present fight over the congressional nomination in the Third district to revive the argument in favor of a primary election law. This question has been absolutely settled as an issue, however, by putting it up to the people of the state to vote at the next election as to whether they want this change or not, and the governor's effort to reopen the discussion in the hope that it will prove to his own personal advantage will avail him nothing.

Evening Wisconsin: The estate of the late Senator Hanna is estimated at from \$7,000,000 to \$8,000,000. He was a very large stockholder in the Cleveland street railway company, had extensive shipping interests, and was heavily interested in the iron mines in peninsular Michigan and Northern Wisconsin. Besides his widow he leaves three heirs—one son and two daughters—all of whom are married. One of his sons-in-law is assistant publisher of the Chicago Tribune.

Baraboo Republic: The contest in Iowa county, which rolled up thirteen delegates for Mr. Babcock at the congressional convention at Baraboo, March 3d, will not be instrumental in causing his supporters from keeping right in the fight to the end. The people and not the politicians had a hand in shaping the outcome in Iowa and so will it be in Sauk, Grant and probably the remainder of the counties of the district. If the opposition is looking for peace and quiet to reign on account of the success in the first contest they will be disappointed. It will not abate one jot until after the caucuses and conventions are held.

Eau Claire Leader: With potatoes selling at a dollar a bushel, wheat at 90c, corn at 40c, oats at 35c, and barley at 50c, the Wisconsin farmer is having a good time this winter. These prices are nearly double what they were a few years ago. Other articles are proportionally high. It is a season of unexampled prosperity for all who follow agricultural pursuits. Under such conditions there is no danger of any commercial depression as far as this state is concerned.

Cartoons Sell Well. Collections of cartoons which have appeared in the newspapers are among the best-selling books in France.

Rebekah, No. 171.
I. O. O. F.

Masque Ball

Tuesday Eve
FEBRUARY 23

Assembly Hall

The finest event of its kind this season. Preparations indicate a royal time will be in store for all. All Odd Fellows and their ladies are invited.

Gentlemen - 50c
Ladies - 25c
Gallery 25c

..Lake's Orchestra..

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

A widow always believes in platonic love—for others.

Too many men are incapable of doing their own thinking.

Girls who make fools of men usually make lasting impressions.

A lot of misery comes to the man who sits down and waits.

Most of the good times we have are not appreciated until the next day.

Some men are too busy to take a rest until the undertaker gets them.

Any girl who thinks as much of a man as she does of herself will do to to.

There are a few self-made men and a lot of self-made blonde women in the world.

If tombstones are truthful the cemeteries contain more good people than ever lived.

It may be all right to give credit to whom credit is due, but spot cash is always preferable.

Most people would rather blame a man for what he doesn't than give him credit for what he does.

A man may be disappointed in the friendship of his friends, but he can always depend on the enmity of his enemies.

To-day the average man is saving up to buy a home, to-morrow he buys it and the day after he will try to sell it for less than cost.—Chicago News.

MRS. F. A. BENNETT.
HIGH GRADE
MONUMENT WORK
Expert work. Expenses are low and prices accordingly.

How Long Is a Jiffy?
If an ill timed fire should eat up some of your property, it might be in a "jiffy." If that property were insured, wouldn't you be more at ease? Better see us about it.

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TO.....

South-East Missouri
The Land of the Big Red Apple.

We are going to take an Excursion party on

Tuesday, March 1st

to South-Eastern Missouri, to the County that offers the best inducements to the man of moderate means in any location in the United States. Good Soil, Hard Wood Timber and an excellent climate and splendid water.

Excellent advantages for stock men; plenty of grass and water.

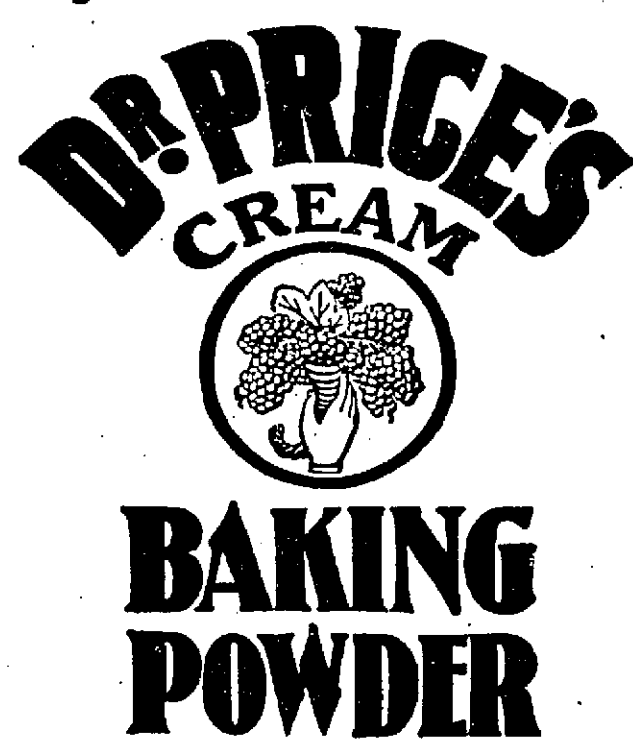
Lands Range in Price from \$5.00 to \$12 Per Acre.

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PRICE BAKING POWDER CO., CHICAGO.

WANT ADS.

WANTED—15 girls in the fitting department of the Art Study Manufacturing Co. Apply Monday morning.

WANTED—Everybody who owns horses, to secure some of the big bargains at our closing out market sale. J. H. Murray.

WANTED—By student attending school. Place to work mornings, evenings and Saturdays for board. Valentine Bros.

WANTED—A good girl for general housework at South Main Street. Good House.

WANTED—Everybody to know that I remove corns, bunions and ingrowing nails. No pain, no soreness afterwards. Hugh M. Joyce, South Main St., W. Mill St., old phone 638.

WANTED, AT ONCE—A cabinet maker at the Hansen Furniture Co.

WANTED—The best house and lot in Fourth or Second ward that \$100 will buy. Money to loan. J. H. Burns, 2 Central Bldg.

WANTED—Competent nurse girl. Inquire of Mrs. Dan. Hixson, corner North Bluff street and Prospect avenue.

WANTED—To Rent—For 2-room modern house with bath. Rent \$10.00 per month. Inquire of A. H. Hayward, new phone 710.

WANTED—I desire to enter the Janesville business field, and will purchase a stock of merchandise, providing location and conditions are favorable. If you are anxious to sell, address, giving particulars, to Gazette.

WANTED—A position as stenographer and bookkeeper by experienced lady, owning machine. References given. Address Stone, Janesville.

Wanted: Position as engineer, either large or small plant. Best references. Address A. A. care Gazette.

\$10 per day made by our men, selling 100 Air Light. Write for special offer: Great opportunity. Chicago Air Light Co., 34 Fifth Ave., Chicago.

HELP WANTED, MALE—Circular at 8 a.m. to the distributors wanted everywhere. No experience. Good pay. Operative Adv. Co., S. Y.

WANTED—To rent, a Universal key board type writer in good repair. Write D. Gazette.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Second hand buggy in good repair, cheap. W. B. Mahoney, 203 S. Blue street.

FOR SALE—Forty acres, \$35 per acre, or best offer. Call at J. A. Layman's, 8 South Blue St.

FOR SALE—100 acre farm 4 miles from city; 120 acre farm 6 miles from city. Will take house and lot in city part payment. J. H. Burns, 2 Central Bldg.

FOR SALE—2 houses in 2nd ward, 6 and 7 rooms; city water; \$1000 buys both houses. Good bargain. House, 7 rooms, 2nd ward, city water \$2200. House, 8 rooms, and barn on Williams street, \$1800. House, 8 rooms, and barn; good well, South Main street, \$1600. House, 7 rooms, Magnolia Ave. \$1500. House, 10 rooms, and bath, 4th ward, good well, and gas, \$2400.

Two houses, 4th ward, each 8 rooms, \$2500 taken both, or will sell separately.

Choice lot, \$100, Second ward.

House, 8 rooms, new, city water, elstern, Riverley Park, \$1200. Terms to suit.

Sugar Root Land 12 to 20 miles from second largest beet sugar factory in U.S. Why pay \$25 to \$30 per acre for land to raise sugar beets when you can get land especially adapted for beet raising at from \$12.50 to \$20 per acre at Marinet & W.

E. A. DOWER, Room 416 Hayes Block.

Big Gold Nugget.

A nugget of gold weighing eighty ounces has been found at Ballarat, Australia.

WE WANT

Every housekeeper to get acquainted with our now two famous brands of Flour,

THE TWO WINNERS.

JERSEY LILY

—AND—

HARD TO BEAT

WHY? Because we know that you will be thoroughly satisfied. 20,000 sacks sold in this city in one year is a record of which we are justly proud.

..WE KEEP THE QUALITY UP..

Include a sack in your next order, keep an account of the number of loaves of bread it produces as against a cheaper grade of Flour. It will not be necessary to call your attention to this fact again.

A word to the wise is sufficient.

JENNISON BROS. & CO.,
JANESVILLE, MINN.

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DRY GOODS, CLOAKS, MILLINERY

Spring Lines...

are fast filling up. Eastern packages come to us every day with the brightest and freshest goods from import order.

Dress Goods, Silks, Shirt Waist Suitings, Trimmings, Laces, Wash Goods, Embroideries in Sets

Also the wide Embroidery for corset covers, and a beautiful line of Mohairs for shirt waist suits. This season's fashion plates inform us that the mohairs will be exceptionally popular. They come in blues, modes, gun metal, reds, navys, etc. Among the effects are dots, checks, plain and fancy weaves.

Cloaks

Closing out the balance of the Cloaks and Suits for half and less. Great bargains at \$5.00, \$7.50 and \$10.

Millinery

Everything in this department at half price.

Archie Reid & Co.
DRY GOODS, CLOAKS, MILLINERY

Frozen Water Pipes

THAWED BY ELECTRICITY

No digging nor dirt.

We guarantee to make the water flow or no charge will be made. The pipes are not injured in any way by the current.

\$10 per Service.

Where two or more pipes need thawing and are near enough together so that all can be thawed at one time, a reduction will be made.

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Best Maple, Oak or Mixed Wood in the city. No dead wood.

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Fish or Cut Bait

During Lent

The most seasonable goods at the most reasonable prices on all Groceries. Come and see ME for bargains for the next 40 days.

Respectfully,
W. T. VANKIRK,
12 SOUTH RIVER ST.

METEOR STRIKES NEAR THE CITY

FARMER NAMED SMITH ALMOST OVERCOME BY THE GAS.

WAS SO THICK THAT NO ONE

Could See Their Hands Before Their Faces for Some Hours—A Strange Phenomenon

Nearly suffocated by the fumes of gas, with his wife and three children hysterical with fear, Mr. Smith, a farmer near the blind institute, awakened the residents of J. O. Sellick's household on Center avenue last evening and told them a story of having encountered a wave of gaseous matter a few rods away that had almost overcome him and his family. The children were crying and fearful and Mrs. Smith was equally fearful, so that the party was taken into the Sellick home while Mr. Sellick, George Clark, his son-in-law, Mr. Millmore and son, and Mr. Smith drove back to the scene to discover the cause of the trouble.

The story Mr. Smith tells is of a wonderful sight and a still more wonderful phenomenon of nature. As he and his wife were driving home from the city at about half-past nine they noticed a huge star-like light appear suddenly in the sky. It became brighter and brighter and suddenly seemed to swoop down and be swallowed up in the snowbanks that lined the road near the blind institute. As they turned onto the road after leaving the bridge the smell of a strange gas became so strong that Mr. Smith was nearly overcome and with difficulty was able to turn about and drive back to Mr. Sellick's.

When the party composed of Mr. Sellick, Mr. Clark, Mr. Millmore and his son and Mr. Smith returned to the road where the smell had been the strongest they were greeted by a dense fog-like substance which was so thick they could not see their hands in front of their faces, let alone the horse they were driving, which was but a few feet away. This extended for several rods along the road and in places was even more dense than others. The smell was at times almost suffocating. It is described as resembling that of a gas retort or of the gas which escapes from the door of an open engine.

Vain Search
Although the gentlemen remained in the vicinity of the supposed meteor for some hours they were unable to discover the meteor itself. This morning a party covered all the fields in the vicinity in a vain search and again this afternoon a large party is out trying to locate the meteor. According to Mr. Smith just before the meteor struck the earth he heard a rushing sound like some huge body falling through the air and then came the blinding fog of noisome smell.

Prof. Comstock
Prof. Comstock of the Washburn observatory at Madison was called up by the Gazette office on the telephone at noon today and asked regarding such a phenomenon. He said: "It is undoubtedly a meteor. What caused the smell I can not say. That is some special condition of the soil in which it struck. Were it in an oil or coal country it could easily be explained, but as I do not know the land about Janesville I can not state what it was. Under ordinary conditions the smell would have been only that of a steam arising from a hot substance, like metal falling into a tub of water."

Is Authority
Prof. Comstock is authority for all phenomena of the heavens and while he says that there is nothing strange in the falling of a meteor he is surprised at the accompanying smell. Possibly this may develop an unknown coal field right in Janesville and possibly the meteor will be found to have contained a strange gaseous substance that was released when it struck the earth.

NEWS OF THE DAY IN TOWN.

Was Elected Vice President: H. H. Bilas of this city was elected vice president of the Inland Press association, in convention at Chicago.

Lost Valuable Horse: John Sher, Idan, the Corn Exchange liveryman, lost a valuable horse last evening. The horse was taken in several days ago and died last evening.

Will Lecture Sunday Evening: Rev. L. J. Vaughn is the guest of Rev. W. A. Geobel today. Father Vaughn will lecture at St. Mary's church Sunday evening. His subject will be "Facts and Fiction." Rev. Vaughn has lectured in this city several times and is classed among the foremost lecturers of the day.

Will Transfer Patients: On account of the fire last evening in the Racine county hospital, several of the patients will be transferred to the county asylum north of this city. The patients are expected to arrive in the city sometime this evening.

Returns From England: Fred Elzer who has been visiting in England since last fall has returned to Janesville. He formerly was in the draying and transfer business here.

Scheme Won't Work: William Hanner of Beloit, a jobber in paving brick and builder of cement sidewalks, etc., was at the city hall this morning to inquire as to what the city had done with regard to the proposed ordinance requiring cement sidewalks in certain portions of the city. He says that the cement floors in the new hotel in the city are cracking badly. The builder on deavored to put a Portland cement dressing on top of cement that had already hardened and it failed to "connect" as it always does.

To Consider Bids: A meeting of the directors of the Janesville Contracting Co. was called for 4:30 this afternoon to open and consider the bids offered for the construction of the new power plant.

Suffered Stroke of Paralysis: Mrs. Richard Nash who resides on Gold street suffered a stroke of paralysis yesterday. She is resting as comfortable as could be expected today, under the circumstances.

LODGE MEETINGS TONIGHT

Janesville Council, No. 108, U. C. T., meets at hall.
Bricklayers' and Masons' union at Assembly hall.
Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen at Assembly hall.

BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

Got your Sunday meat order in early, Nash.
Grand opening Saturday, February 20th. First class lunch, roast turkey and roast pig, served free to you all. Good music! Herman Kath, 58 S. River street.
Sunday roast beef and pork, Nash. Herman Kath will have an "opening" at his place, 58 S. River street, all day Saturday; good music, and a fine roast turkey and roast pig lunch. The best meats and lowest prices, Nash.
Good music and a roast pig roast, turkey lunch is what Herman Kath offers all guests Saturday at 58 S. River street.
New home, 14c lb. Nash.
All comrades are requested to meet at post hall Sunday, February 21st, at 5:30 p. m. sharp, to attend divine services at Court Street M. E. church. C. D. Child, Anj.; Robert Scott, commander. Nash.
Jersey butterine, Nash.
Wanted at this office, Daily Gazette of Jan. 26th.
Swift's Lincoln butterine, 12 1/2c. Nash.

WILLIAM FORD'S PLANS ACCEPTED

Hohenadel's New Canning Factory at Rochelle Will Have Many Features Not in Local Plant.

Elaborate plans for a new canning factory to be built in Rochelle, Ill., have been prepared by William Ford of Janesville and accepted by the Peter Hohenadel, Jr., Co. Bids have already been called for and it is expected that the structure will cost in the neighborhood of \$40,000. Mr. Ford showed the blue prints in the Gazette office this afternoon. The buildings are to be considerably larger than those of the "Janesville plant." They will be constructed of brick and two stories high with the exception of the canning room, a part of which will be three stories. Some of the dimensions will be as follows: Canning room—48 by 134 feet; storage room—48 by 200; husking shed—40 by 190; pickle shed—40 by 160. There will be a silo forty feet in diameter, forty feet above grade, and six feet underground. This is something which the local factory does not possess. Another improvement is an automatic dump which dispenses with the shovelling of corn and an endless conveyor which will carry the corn to the husking shed. The factory will be completed by July 1. Mr. Ford says that he has planned this factory rather than the standpoint of a mechanical engineer than a house architect.

Notice is hereby given to all those who have signed the articles of organization for the new Mutual Fire Ins. Co. to be organized in this city. A meeting will be held in the assembly room of the city hall at 3:30 o'clock, Friday, February 26th, 1904, for the purpose of completing said organization and electing a board of directors for the same. Any of our citizens who have not already signed the above articles but who are interested in Mutual Fire Ins. are cordially invited to be present at said meeting. By order of the committee.

F. S. BAINES, chairman.

CURRENT NEWS NOTES

Grocers Have Smoker: The Janesville Retail Grocers' association held a business meeting and smoker at the Colonial rooms last evening. After the regular work of the meeting had been transacted an informal session with music and addresses was participated in.

Coal Man's Winter: Thus far this winter eighty tons of coal have been required to heat the city hall. Twenty more tons have been ordered.

Was Called in Consultation: Dr. James Mills of this city was called in consultation this morning in the case of Mrs. Catlin of Milton, who is seriously ill. Mrs. Catlin is the widow of the late Dr. Catlin of Lake Geneva, who was well known in this city.

Broke Bone and Sprained Ankle: Mrs. John Connors of Adams street while walking about the yard last evening fell and broke one of the small bones in her foot, also spraining her ankle.

Janitor of Post Office: George M. Dopp, formerly an engineer on the North-Western road, who was compelled to give up his work on account of injuries sustained, has been appointed janitor of the local post-office.

Special Meeting: Tomorrow will be a special day at the Y. M. C. A. building. State Secretary F. E. Anderson of Milwaukee will spend the day with the local association. Mr. Anderson will speak to men at 3 p. m. This meeting is open to every man in the city.

Clever Telegram: One of the cleverest little telegrams ever sent or received over a local telegraph wire in Janesville is recorded below. The fair Janesville dame, who is not one of the "Forty Old Maids," sent the following to a friend in the east: "Wire date. Can't wait. Be Quick. Love sick. No joke. Heart broke." The answer that came flitting back over the wire was as unique: "Willing now. Can't see how. Somewhat slow. Sure though. Be steady. Getting ready."

A band of sixteen pieces has been organized at Frederic. In consideration of a donation of \$100, William J. Starr, the millionaire lumberman of Eau Claire, named the new organization the Frederic Philharmonic band.

Mrs. Cella Foster of Kenosha, who contested the will of the late Lucinda Bassett without success, has filed a claim for \$2,000 against the estate, claiming that it is due her for services rendered to the deceased.

POLITICAL TALK ON THE ELECTION

FIGHT IN THIRD DISTRICT IS WAGING HOTTER.

BABCOCK WINS ONCE MORE

Takes Richland County Delegates Despite the Efforts of Ad. ministrators Workers.

(Special A. D. Dispatch.)
The Richland county republican caucuses yesterday were carried by Congressman Babcock, giving him Richland's ten votes. These, with Iowa county's 13, give Mr. Babcock 23 votes. The caucuses in Grant, 22 votes, and in Sauk, 17 votes, are being held today. Fifty-one votes are necessary to nominate. In order to prevent Babcock's renomination the opposition must carry Grant county today.

The above situation is taken from the Free Press. It sizes up the situation exactly as it stands today. It does not, however, tell of the hard fought battle of yesterday in Richland county on the part of the administration to down Babcock and have Mr. Hancock's delegates nominated. It was a battle royal to those who watched the fight. Every means, every method that could be concocted by a wily and desperate politician was used.

Yellow Placards
In spite of the fact that the Iowa county convention strongly endorsed Roosevelt and his administration, Richland county was placarded yesterday by the Hancock men with a circular stating that the Iowa county convention had turned down resolutions endorsing President Roosevelt. The hand bill was headed "Roosevelt or Babcock, Which Do You Prefer," and then purported to recite the resolution. The bill closed with the statement:

"A vote for Babcock means a vote against the republican president and national administration." The same game is being played in Grant county today. The true endorsement of the Iowa convention is as follows:

The republicans of Iowa county, in convention assembled, reaffirm their devotion to the principles of the republican party and endorse the splendid administration of Theodore Roosevelt.

The convention, besides endorsing Roosevelt, adopted a clause approving of the course of Representative Babcock, and a resolution of regret over the death of Senator Marcus A. Hanna. Resolutions endorsing Roosevelt and La Follette were defeated.

Used Democrats
Then comes the charge from Lone Rock that the Hancock men did not stop at the politics of a voter but voted him just the same. The same old story of the "fair-minded" democrat was retold last night at Richland Center, both as having happened in that city and at Lone Rock.

With scores of state employees covering Grant county and Richland county, and with every other administration can put forth to carry these counties, the lesson imparted by the Richland county caucuses yesterday must have its effect, and certainly has its timely significance. The disapproval of Richland county is registered, as it will no doubt be registered by the other counties in the district, against the unrepublican methods involved.

A Clean Cut Victory
Despite all this work the victory was a decisive and clean cut one. No partial results, a pure and simple demonstration in the face of odds that Mr. Babcock was the choice of Richland county, governor or no governor. The faces of the Hancock men told the story of another hard fought battle field won for the cause of conservatism. Sixty-eight for Mr. Babcock, twenty-seven for Hancock and ten unpledged.

LOUD DETONATION IN HEART OF CITY

Was Heard at Eight O'clock This Morning—Rumored That Jeffries' Boiler Had Blown Up.

A loud detonation was heard in the rear of the old postoffice building at a quarter past eight o'clock this morning and a small army of men was soon rushing towards the Jeffries factory. When they were not allowed to inspect the boiler and steam-heater they spread the report that something had blown up in that quarter. The mill, however, continued to run merrily on. The rumor was persistent, however, in spite of the explanation offered that some men excavating in the alley back of the postoffice building had used a stick of dynamite to dislodge some rocks. This noon a representative of the Gazette was allowed to see the boiler and heater and from all outward appearances they seemed to be in good working order.

The men working back of the post-office acknowledged that they had used a charge of dynamite at the time in question. The rear wall of the postoffice building is to be torn down and the building extended several yards. A new steel front with plate glass windows is to be installed. It is reported that T. P. Burns will occupy the store portion when it is finished.

Purchase Fish Abroad.
The United States, overwhelmed as they are by the vast masses of fish reared in their fresh and salt waters, purchase immense quantities of her ring from Holland, sturgeon roe from Russia and haddock from Scotland. Scotland in turn buys American haddock and codfish and mackerel. England buys United States oysters, and the United States buys English "blotters."

The Madison Traction company has let a contract for the erection of a large building, to be used as a barn and repair shop, at Fair Oaks, a suburb just east of the city limits. It will cost, with equipment, about \$30,000.

SUGAR FACTORY SENDS ENGINEER HERE WEDNESDAY

Capt. Davidson Writes That Supt. August Hopke Will Look Over Ground Here Next Week.

Attorney W. G. Wheeler this afternoon received word from Captain Davidson of Bay City, Mich., that Superintendent Hopke of Dresden, Canada, beet-sugar factory, accompanied by an engineer, would arrive in Janesville on Tuesday next to survey the local situation. Accompanying this welcome news was the request that the services of a railroad engineer be secured for that day to assist in the preliminary work. This looks like business and seems to indicate that Janesville is not out of the race by any means. The business men are more than pleased over the news.

FELL FROM VERY LOFTY EMINENCE

James Moore, Who Stole Lines, Was Once a Waiter in the Auditorium—Given Sixty Days.

Upon due consideration the man giving his name as James Moore who was brought into municipal court yesterday on the charge of stealing a pair of lines from the harness shop of W. H. Hall, decided to plead guilty. He told a very heart-rending story and asked if there was any Jewish society in Janesville, as he thought that they would be willing to help him out. He said that he had fallen from the lofty eminence of a waiter in the Auditorium in Chicago. Drink had been his undoing and was responsible for the theft. The officers said that he was perfectly sober when arrested. After hearing the sad narration Judge Fifield gave him sixty days in the county bastille.

BEFORE THE GREAT JUDGE

Peter Dolan
Yesterday afternoon at 5:15 Peter Dolan, an old and respected resident of this city was summoned by death at his home, No. 1 Washington street. Mr. Dolan had been confined to the house for the past week, suffering with bronchitis and asthma, which was the cause of his death. Mr. Dolan has been a resident of this city for the past thirty-five years and has been an honest, upright and respected citizen and had the esteem of the entire community at large. Mr. Dolan was born in Roscommon county, Ireland, and was about 61 years of age. He leaves to mourn his loss a devoted wife and two daughters, Misses Kathryn and Margaret Dolan. The funeral will be held at St. Patrick's church Monday morning at 9:15 o'clock.

Mrs. Alanzo Stickney
Mrs. Edward Stickney received a telegram this morning announcing the death of Mrs. Alanzo Stickney which occurred in Chicago this morning. Mrs. Bennett had just returned from Chicago yesterday and Mrs. Stickney was improving, but took a relapse last evening and died this morning. She leaves one sister in this city, Mrs. William Peters. It is expected that the remains will arrive in the city Monday. Notice of the funeral later.

Mrs. Mary De Nall
News of the death of Mrs. Mary De Nall was received in the city today by her daughter, Mrs. Louis Gosselin, 54 Elizabeth street. Mrs. De Nall occurred in Milwaukee. Mrs. De Nall leaves to mourn her loss five children, Mrs. Louis Gosselin, of this city; Mrs. John Gunrich, Mrs. Edward Hooley, both of Chicago; Edward De Nall of Minneapolis, and Joseph De Nall of Rhode Island. The remains will arrive in this city this evening at 6:40 and will be taken to the home of Mrs. Louis Gosselin, 54 Elizabeth street. Notice of the funeral given later.

LAID IN LAST RESTING PLACE

Mrs. Sarah Lennon
This morning at 9:15 o'clock Rev. Dean E. M. McGinnity conducted the funeral services over the remains of the late Mrs. Sarah Lennon at St. Patrick's church. There was a large gathering of friends and neighbors of the deceased present at the last sad rites. Rev. McGinnity spoke very highly of the deceased and of her most beautiful christian character. The pallbearers were sons-in-law of the deceased, John Gleason, James W. Clark, David Cunningham, and James Crane. The interment was in Mt. Olivet cemetery.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRE

President and Mrs. Roosevelt will observe Washington's birthday by planting two memorial trees. The trees selected are fern leaf beeches, taken from Garfield park, Washington. They will be planted in the grounds immediately east of the white house and fronting on Executive avenue. The spades used will be preserved and on the blades will be painted a plan of the location of the trees and a brief legend descriptive of the event.

The blasting rock in the tail race of the Consolidated Water and Paper company's paper mill at Grand Rapids has ceased and the dummy engine and tracks have been shipped back to Minneapolis. As a consequence about sixty-five men have been laid off.

State Insurance Commissioner Zeno M. Host has left for Atlanta, Ga., to inspect the Atlanta and Birmingham Insurance company, which desires to operate in Wisconsin.

Ex-Governor Hogg of Texas has come out flat-footed for Bryan for president.

Leonard G. Schaefer, ex-alderman of Racine, has begun "suit" against the city of Racine to compel the corporation to issue him a liquor license. A former license has been revoked.

Priests of Saisonkeepers.
The Belgian city of Liege, with a population of 150,000, maintains 10,000 drink sellers.

SNOW CARNIVAL FOR TOMORROW

ALL OWNERS OF HORSE FLESH INVITED TO PARTICIPATE.

THE DRIVE STARTS AT 1:30

And Course Will Be Along South Main Street to the Brewery—Concludes with Race on Ice.

Upon suggestion of a number of local horsemen, if the weather is pleasant tomorrow, the snow carnival that proved so successful on a Sunday several years ago will be revived. All people in the city owning pleasure rigs are asked to participate. The driving will start at half-past one o'clock and will conclude at three o'clock with a race matinee on the ice. The course of the drive will be along South Main street to the brewery and back to the Grand hotel.

Fine Spectacle
If citizens turn out for this snow carnival, as it is expected they will, the spectacle will be a rare one. There is much fine horse-flesh in Janesville and the assembling of it in one place at one time will be instructive and interesting. Some tauderns and four-hands may make an appearance and several of those who have taken hold of the matter promise that there will be several "features" of the "parade" that will furnish sufficient diversity to make it unique and attractive.

Idea a Good One
Those who were approached regarding the plan heartily approved of it. The weather reports promise a good day and there will undoubtedly be a large turnout. The races may be watched from Bluff street by those with rigs after the drive is finished.

FUNERAL SERVICES FOR H. H. SATER

Rev. R. C. Denison Conducted the Same at His Late Home

This morning at 10:30 o'clock the funeral services over the remains of the late H. H. Sater were held from his late home on South Jackson street. There was a large gathering of friends and relatives present at the last sad rites. The Rev. R. C. Denison of the Congregational church conducted the services and spoke very highly of the deceased. The song service was rendered by a quartet composed of Mrs. Charles Yates, Miss Cora Anderson, George Parish, and C. N. Vankirk. His fellow workmen in the power department of the Janesville Machine company, attended the funeral in a body and escorted the remains to the Northwestern depot at 11:55 when they were taken to Madison and interred in the Forest Hill cemetery in that city. Rev. R. C. Denison accompanied the funeral party to Madison where he conducted the services at the grave in that city. The pallbearers were William Irving, Thomas Peterson, S. Peterson, P. A. Hammund, William Mueller and Townsend Sager. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful. Those who attended the funeral from out of the city were Ever Sater, Orfordville, brother of the deceased, and Messrs. Janesville of Iowa City, brothers of Mrs. Sater.

SPRING TERM OF CIRCUIT COURT OPENS ON MONDAY

Observance of Washington's Birthday Not Prescribed by Law—Calendar a Short One.

Notwithstanding the fact that Monday is Washington's birthday, the February term of the circuit court will be opened on that date. The court is forbidden to conduct its work on certain days such as the Fourth of July, but the February holiday is not included in the number, the matter of observances or non-observance being left to the discretion of the presiding judges. The calendar is lighter than usual. It contains twenty-nine cases for the jury, thirty-three issues of fact for the court, six issues of law, and one criminal action. Indications are that numerous cases will be settled out of court.

Legal Holiday
The P. O. will observe Feb. 22d. Office will be open from 8 to 9 a. m. and from 2 to 3 p. m. Carriers will be at their windows from 2 to 3 p. m. and will make their morning delivery as usual. O. F. NOWLAN, P.M.

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Y. M. C. A. MEETING IN OSHKOSH SOON

Several Janesville Men Plan to Attend the Annual State Gathering of the Association.

The coming state convention of the Y. M. C. A. will be held at Oshkosh from the 10th to 13th of next month and is attracting much attention among all Y. M. C. A. men throughout the state. Sam Gordon of Cleveland, Ohio, will be present at every session of the convention and will give six addresses on the bible and its truths; other international secretaries will be present and add to the strength and interest of this gathering. Special rates are given by all railroads and a good delegation is expected from Janesville. Free entertainment is provided at Oshkosh for all visiting delegates. About twenty delegates are expected to attend from Janesville. Among those who have decided already to attend are J. C. Kline, J. A. Ward, Dr. F. T. Richards, and Anthony Wilkinson. Those who would go if convenient are C. D. Child, F. F. Lewis, A. D. Nott, J. H. Jones, W. E. Clinton, James Kober, Louis Miller and several of the younger men of the local association.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE.

Miss Rosa Riley of Chicago is in the city the guest of the Misses Kenman, South Franklin street.
P. Hohenadel has returned from a business trip in the east.
Mort Brennan is confined to his home by a severe cold.
Mrs. Tannah Baumann has returned from a two weeks' visit in Merrill.
Miss Anna Harvey of Chicago is in the city being called here by the death of her uncle, the late Peter Dolan.
Mrs. Doyle, embroidery instructor from Chicago, will be with us another week. Toal & Ludlow.
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Gallon best table syrup, 25c.
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THE CARUTHERS AFFAIR

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SYNOPSIS.

Chapter I.—Minard Hendricks, great detective, just returned from Boston, and awaiting him an assigned typewriter letter directing him to apartments in Palace hotel, where he will find remains of Mr. Weldon Caruthers—currently reported for past two weeks to be out of town. Detective seems to sense something with attempt made on his own life some time previous. Goes with friend, Dr. Lampkin, to investigate.

Chapter II.—Upon search of Caruthers' apartment remains of cremated body and jeweled hand of victim are found in a vase. Hand bears marks of finger nails manifested to sharp points. Lampkin recalls reports of a row between Caruthers and Arthur Glew, both authors for hand of Dorothy Huntington, who is herself to several millions should she marry Caruthers, unconditionally in case of Caruthers' death.

Chapter III.—Late that night Hendricks and Lampkin call at home of Miss Huntington.

Chapter IV.—Dorothy shows detective typewritten letter, which was an invitation for herself and aunt to occupy with Count Bantini, Italian nobleman, his box at horse show, as he was called out of town by pressing business.

Chapter V.—She recalls Glew had expressed before murder intense hatred for Caruthers and believes him guilty, yet decides to help him, and with her aunt goes to his studio.

Chapter IV.—(Continued.)

"Count Bantini," mused Hendricks; "know such a man, doctor?"

"Only from having seen his name in society papers," was Lampkin's reply. "He is absolutely the queerest individual on earth," pursued Mrs. Winifred, as if glad of an opportunity to express her dislike. "Dorothy has refused him three times. We should never have gone with him last night to the horse show if Mr. Caruthers had not arranged the box party before he left. I am sure he is a fortune hunter, and it was with that conviction in my mind that I told him of the condition in Mr. Van Courtland's will. He looked perfectly bewildered when I mentioned it and made me give him all the particulars. He said nothing all the rest of the evening—it was here at a reception one night."

Hendricks' eyes flashed involuntarily and then his face became again unreadable.

"How long ago was that?" he asked, carelessly.

"About two weeks," she replied.

Miss Huntington had been leaning forward eagerly drinking in what was said, but, watching her closely, Lampkin saw her gradually take on the droop of utter despondency. She rose with a certain cold majesty.

"You must really excuse me," she said. "I must go up to my room. Oh, aunt, I feel so tired! The gentlemen will excuse us."

The men sprang up.

"Oh, pardon us," said the doctor. "This is too much for your nerves."

"Rest is all I need," answered the young lady, courteously apologetic.

"You must get something soothing to drink and try to sleep," advised Lampkin, and he backed from the room, followed by the detective.

Outside Hendricks seemed absorbed in thought.

"Well?" inquired the doctor, as they struck out down the avenue.

"We must sift Glew to the bottom," sighed Hendricks.

"But I thought you said—"

"I know I did, and I meant it at the moment; but Miss Huntington knows something to offset my theories in his favor. She is absolutely convinced that Glew is in for it, and it must be powerful evidence to make a woman believe her lover guilty of murder. Ah, doctor, if it had been in my power to have comforted her I'd never have let her go to her room looking as she did."

CHAPTER V.

Mrs. Winifred solicitously accompanied her niece to her chamber. She dismissed the drowsy maid, and herself undressed the girl and sat beside her bed for some moments. Her own nervousness seemed to have taken a little flight into the realm of gratified vanity over having aided a famous detective in a most important investigation. When Dorothy seemed quieter she rose and went softly to her own room.

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studio building, Dorothy opened the door, and stepped quickly down to the sidewalk. Her aunt followed her into the dimly-lighted hall. A colored boy sat asleep on a bench at the end of the door and the jarring of the car as they entered it awakened him.

"Mr. Glew's studio," said Dorothy, hoarsely.

The boy rubbed his eyes with one hand and with the other grasped the lever, and they began to ascend.

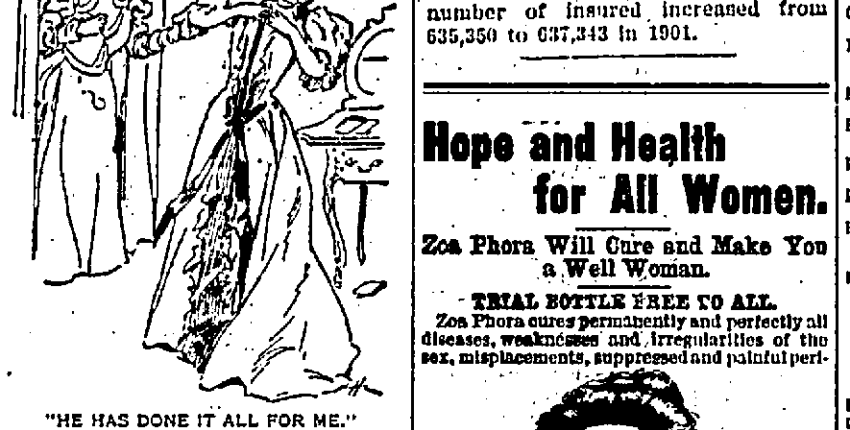
"Is he in?" asked Mrs. Winifred.

"I can't say, madam. I came on at three o'clock."

"If he is not in," said Dorothy, "his servant will give me the information I wish."

"Tenth floor," said the boy, sliding the door open. "Second door on the left."

The two ladies passed down one of the long corridors till they came to a door the transom of which transmitted a soft greenish refugence from subdued lights within. Dorothy had just rung the bell when she noticed that the door was not latched. She pushed against it, it opened, and she proceeded her aunt inside. They found themselves in a private hallway, and further on, through parted oriental curtains, they saw the lights of the large reception-room. Entering it they found it still and vacant. The roof had a great skylight and the several windows looking eastward were of polished plate glass. Through them, when the curtains were parted, the rays of the moon fell weirdly and blended inconspicuously with the



"HE HAS DONE IT ALL FOR ME."

low burning lights of the chandelier overhead. In nooks and recesses dark bronze and white marble statues loomed like suggestions of the good and evil they represented. As they stood in the center of the chamber, undecided what to do, they heard a step in the adjoining room, and Henri presented a terrified visage over the top of a grotesquely carved wooden screen.

"Who is it?" he cried out in a voice that shook strangely. He had not recognized the visitors.

"It is I, Henri, Miss Huntington. Where is your master?"

Henri slowly stalked from behind the screen.

"You—you, Miss Dorothy!" he stammered, and then he stood a mute picture of indecision, his glance shifting to and fro uneasily.

"Where is Mr. Glew? I must see him!" said the heiress.

Henri made no response. He clutched a brass stand, on which lay some curios, and they shook and rattled harshly. A small piece of china fell to the floor with a crash, but he did not notice it. Miss Huntington stepped deliberately to the chandelier and raised one of the lights. Then her eyes fell on Henri. His collar was unfastened, his necktie awry, and his long black hair jumbled; his eyes looked as if from weeping they had swollen too big for their sockets.

"What's the matter, Henri?" asked Miss Huntington, almost fiercely, his bearing and aspect hurling a fresh shaft of conviction into her heart.

"Speak, I say; don't you know I am as true a friend to him as you are?"

"He—he's gone, Miss Dorothy," was the reply.

"Gone? Where?"

The man sank on a divan, forgetful of his station. He clasped his shaggy head between his hands and groaned. His weakness seemed to appeal to the same quality in the heiress. Her mouth lost its firmness, her face appeared to wither. She tottered to the grand piano which, open and littered with sheets of music and the ashes and remains of cigars, stood near, and leaned heavily upon it.

Mrs. Winifred stepped up to the man and laid a commanding hand on his shoulder.

"Where has he gone to?" she demanded. "Speak, I say!"

Henri looked inquiringly at Dorothy, and perceiving that she was hanging on his reply, said:

"I don't know—I can't say, but he has left forever—forever, Miss Dorothy!"

The girl felt her knees growing weak, and she sank into a rustic chair which her lover had brought from the hills of Palestine. Presently she leaned forward, and

[To be Continued.]

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Chicago & N. W.	Leave	Arrive
Chicago, via Clinton	4:40 am	12:00 pm
Chicago, via Clinton	6:10 am	9:30 pm
Chicago, via Clinton	7:40 am	7:50 pm
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...Forty Years Ago...

Janesville Daily Gazette, Saturday, February 20, 1864.—Sword Presentation.—To the members of Co. F, who were not present at the presentation yesterday, Lieutenant Hart wishes to tender his thanks for this token of regard, not only to them but to the members of the entire company, and hopes that the relations sustained between the company and himself may be as happy as they are now.

Sword Presentation.—The Nashville Union of February 9th, contains the details of the presentation of a sword by the members of his company to Captain Newton H. Keisinger of the 13th Wisconsin Regiment, formerly of this city. The presentation speech was made by Corporal Van de Bort. The reply of Captain Keisinger was appropriate and affecting.

Washington Engine Company No. 3's Festival.—We trust our citizens will remember this festival, to come off on Washington's birth anniversary. It's proceeds are to be devoted to a noble purpose—that of replenishing the library of the company. We predict a good time generally and a substantial benefit for the company.

Common Council.—There was not a quorum at the meeting of the common council last evening, and the meeting was adjourned until next Friday evening. At that time it is

expected that the judiciary committee will make a report in relation to the matters in dispute between the city and the county.

A Lecture.—The first number of the Monroe Sentinel thus alludes to a lecture by one of our citizens. "These of our citizens who were present at the Congregational church last Monday evening must have experienced a feeling of regret that Mr. Kinney's lecture was the last one to which they were to listen this season. We have no room to review it, but we believe that all who listened to it will agree that even where the lecturer related incidents which were already familiar to the student of English history, he did not fail to clothe them in such a garb as fascinated his auditory. He remained in town until this morning, and preached at the Congregational church last evening."

Religious Notice.—A course of Sunday evening sermons on modern phases of infidelity will be preached at the Presbyterian church beginning tomorrow evening with Pandemonium.

Sunday liquor selling in Janesville will be handled without gloves on Sunday evening at the Baptist church.

MOUNTAIN TRAIL IS DEATH PIT

Men and Pack Horses Go Over Sides and Roll 3,000 Feet.

Meeteetse, Wyo., Feb. 20.—Two unknown travelers journeying along the trail between Meeteetse and Goldreef with several pack horses met an awful death. The trail is a treacherous short cut to Goldreef and is dangerous even in summer, whirling about the edge of a ravine nearly 3,000 feet deep. The men are known to have left Meeteetse. S. Hydel made the journey since and found unmistakable evidence that the horses had lost their footing on the icy path and had fallen upon the rocks thousands of feet below.

MEMORIAL TREES.

President and Mrs. Roosevelt Will Plant Two Beeches Monday.

Washington, Feb. 20.—President and Mrs. Roosevelt will observe Washington's birthday by planting two memorial trees. The trees selected are fern leaf beeches taken from Garfield park in this city. They will be planted in the grounds immediately east of the White House and fronting on Executive avenue. The ceremony will take place at 2:30 p. m. In this instance and on similar occasions hereafter, the spades which are used will be preserved, and on the blades will be painted a plan of the location of the trees and a brief legend descriptive of the event.

Service Pensions.

Washington, Feb. 20.—Work is progressing on a service pension bill, and it is the object of the committee having the matter in charge to bring it into the house at an early date. The committee is inclined to draw the bill so that a service pension will be paid all veterans 65 years of age. This will entail an outlay of slightly more than \$10,000,000 yearly. It is estimated that the amount would not grow at a greater rate than \$5,000,000 a year for the next few years, when it would begin to decrease and finally cease altogether.

Arctic Discoveries.

Washington, Feb. 20.—United States Minister John Barrett reports to the State Department from Buenos Ayres Jan. 12 the arrival at that port of the Scottish antarctic expedition on the Scotia. He says the Scotia covered 4,000 miles of previously unexplored sea and found a new deep sea of 2,500 fathoms about 500 miles southeast of the South Orkney Islands, abounding with fish and crustaceans. The Scotia was expected to return to Scotland by way of Cape of Good Hope some time in June.

To Dedicate Statue.

Washington, Feb. 20.—The first week in next October will witness the dedication of the statue of Frederick the Great, the gift of Emperor William to the United States, which is to be placed in the war college grounds. The exact site has not been designated, but it will be on the terrace with in 100 feet of the walls of the college. Emperor William will be notified promptly by the state department of the fixing of the date.

Habeas Corpus Is Granted.

Washington, Feb. 20.—Joost H. Schneider of Tucson, Ariz., who recently was indicted and arrested here for alleged complicity in public land frauds in the West, was released from custody today under \$12,000 bonds on a petition for a writ of habeas corpus which alleged illegal arrest and excessive bail.

Oase Indians Are Rich.

Washington, Feb. 20.—The Oase Indians are the richest people in the world, according to Delegate McGuire of Oklahoma, who argued before the house committee on territories on the statehood bill. "The tribe, he related, consists of about 1,200 persons. Each owns 620 acres of valuable land and an equal interest in a fund of \$5,500,000, on which the government pays 5 per cent annually, giving each an income of \$1,700 a year. Mr. McGuire held Oklahoma should be admitted as a state.

Talk of Adjournment.

Washington, Feb. 20.—Speaker Cannon thinks congress will be ready to adjourn before May 1. He expects that the congressmen will have more than a month at home attending to fences, etc., before the national Republican convention at Chicago. It is the purpose of Speaker Cannon and other leaders to confine business to appropriation bills, refusing to permit any important measures likely to furnish campaign issues to be considered.

Philippine Certificates.

Washington, Feb. 20.—The War Department has issued a circular calling for proposals for the purchase of \$3,000,000 worth of Philippine temporary certificates, proposals to be opened April 15. These bear 4 per cent interest and run one year.

Signs Deficiency Bill.

Washington, Feb. 20.—President Roosevelt has signed the urgent deficiency bill.

The First Bayonet.

It is not generally known that the British bayonet is not an English invention, but comes from France. It was one of those numerous instances of necessity being the mother of invention. In one of the French wars the Basque soldiers ran out of ammunition. The enemy were at hand, so their officers bade them tie their long knives to their muskets. They did so, and the weapon thus made was successfully used to put to rout a charge of cavalry. The battle thus fought was near Bayonne, and so we have the name bayonet.

HUGE STONE SEVERS HIS HEAD

Italian Laborer Is Decapitated in a Peculiar Accident.

Huntington, W. Va., Feb. 20.—Near Coalburg M. Salvoni, an Italian laborer, had his head cut entirely off by a stone rolling down the mountain-side. Lads coasting had started huge boulders edgewise down the mountain. Salvoni saw it coming and attempted to get out of the way, but failed.

Abner McKinley Is Better. Somerset, Pa., Feb. 20.—Abner McKinley's condition has slightly improved. His physicians refuse to express an opinion further than that he is not in imminent danger.

Ship's Passengers in Peril. London, Feb. 20.—The Belgian steamer Philippeville, with 100 passengers on board, went ashore off Dunkeness, Kent, in a fog. Lifeboats and tugs went to her aid.

Bolomen Kill Americans. Manila, Feb. 20.—Lieut. Macfarlane and six privates of the constabulary have been killed by a bold rush of 500 fanatics while patrolling the east coast of the island of Samar.

Negro Is Burned. Little Rock, Ark., Feb. 20.—Glencoe Baya, a negro, was burned at the stake early Friday near Crossett on the charge of murdering J. D. Stephen of Ashley.

Ocean Ships in Collision. Folkestone, Feb. 20.—The steamer Lake Michigan from Halifax was in collision in the English Channel and is now anchored in Dunkeness Bay.

Will Build Grain Elevator. Winnipeg, Man., Feb. 20.—The Northern Elevator Company will build a million and a half bushels elevator at Fort Williams, Ont.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEVITIES.

Ex-Governor Hogg of Texas has come out flat-footed for Bryan for president.

Fire at St. Anthony Park, St. Paul, destroyed the three-story building of the Union Manufacturing Company and caused a money loss of about \$75,000.

A jury at Haffton, Ind., has declared that J. W. Terrell, convicted of murder, has become insane since his first trial, and he will probably be sent to an asylum.

Ratio of Wealth. A man worth \$5,000,000 to-day is no richer, as related to the aggregate wealth of the United States, than a man worth \$370,000 in 1850.

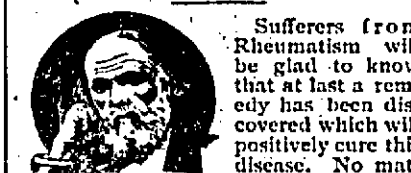
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\$11.00 to Oklahoma, Indian Territory, Kansas and Missouri. On Feb. 16 and March 1st and 15, 1904, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway will sell one way colonist tickets as follows, \$11.00 to all points in Oklahoma and Indian Territory, to points in Kansas and Missouri and to Kansas City, Mo.; \$12.50 to points in Texas. For rates to New Mexico points and other information call on ticket agent, phone 151.

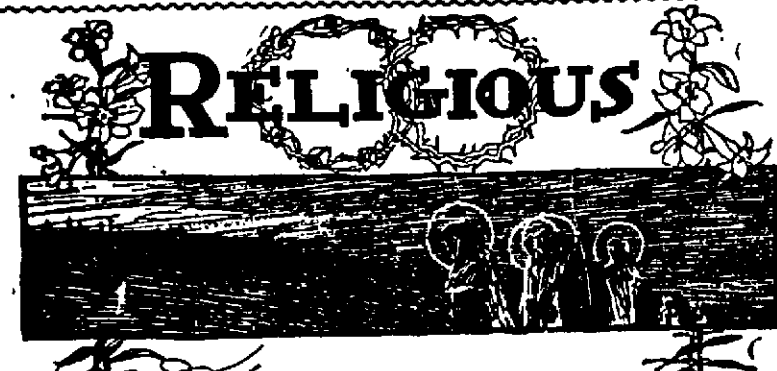
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Very Low Rates Southwest via the Wabash.

March 1 and 15, the Wabash will sell one-way second class colonist tickets from Chicago to Oklahoma and Indian Territory for \$10.00 and many Texas points for \$11.50. Round trip, first class, same dates \$25.00. Write for time tables and full details. T. F. Howe, Gen. Agt., 114 Wisconsin St., Milwaukee, Wis.



Mary Kimball, mission—106 South Jackson street. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Preaching at 7 p. m. Topic, "Unveiled Mysteries." Meetings Wednesday and Friday evenings. All most cordially invited.

Baptist church—Richard M. Vaughan, pastor. 10:30, morning worship; sermon: The Self-Bestowal of Jesus. 12:00, Sunday school; 6:00, Christian Endeavor meeting; topic: Missionary Meeting and Offering; 7:00, evening gospel service; sermon, Our Feelings. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Norwegian Lutheran church—Services at 10:30 a. m. by the pastor of the church, Rev. O. J. Kvalle. Sermon in English.

Congregational church—Robert C. Denison, minister. Morning service at 10:30 o'clock. Sermon by the pastor on The Chosen People. The Bible school at 12 m.; Young People's meeting at 6:00 p. m.; evening service at 7 o'clock. Sermon by the pastor on Those Who Were Ready. A cordial welcome to all.

First Church of Christ Scientist—Services are held in Phoenix block, W. Milwaukee St. Sunday, 10:30 a. m.; Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Sunday topic: "Christ Jesus." Reading room open daily 2 to 4 p. m. except Sunday.

Central Methodist Episcopal church—Corner of Court and Main Sts. Service in the morning at 10:30. The Rev. W. W. Warner will preach from

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WOULD BUILD UP AMERICAN NAVY

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Republics of Haiti and Santo Domingo Must Cease Their Internal Bickering or the United States Will Step in and Restore Peace.

Washington, Feb. 20.—Congressman Foss of Illinois took the lead in championing the naval appropriation bill in the house. In emphasizing the necessity of building up the navy in times of peace and the impossibility of constructing ships during war, he drew a lesson from the Russian situation in the far east, saying:

"What would Russia give to-day if she could call back some of her sunken ships?"

Must Rely on Navy.

Referring to the recent troubles in Santo Domingo, Mr. Foss said the time may come when the United States will say to Santo Domingo and Haiti that if they cannot preserve order the American navy will do it for them. The Monroe doctrine must be looked out for, also, he held, and the navy must be relied upon to back up American diplomacy, which never stood so high as it does to-day under Secretary Hay. He declared that when it becomes necessary to strike a blow the United States should possess the power to strike as hard as did Dewey at Manila.

New Yorker Protests.

Democratic support was given Mr. Foss by Mr. Meyer of Louisiana, a member of the naval committee, who combated the statement that the navy is topheavy.

Mr. Fitzgerald of New York led the attack on the bill. He declared that the program is to build a navy greater than that of Germany, and added:

"In all sections of the country the conviction, rightly or wrongly, is firm that the present occupant of the White House is apt to involve us in war with some other nation."

WHEAT AT HIGH PRICES IS BOON TO FARMERS

General Trade Receives Great Advantage From Prosperity of Agricultural Classes.

Chicago, Feb. 20.—Dun's weekly review of Chicago trade says:

"With wheat commanding present prices and other produce sharing in the advance this gratifying measure of added prosperity means much to the agricultural classes and provides a healthy stimulus to general business and the promise of larger dealings of developing in this market."

"Other favorable features are not lacking. The movement of merchandise increased during the week, buying became more active in the jobbing lines and the expected improvement in demand for iron was confirmed in freer commitments. Retail trade has shown more breadth, necessities having experienced a well-sustained consumption, and the advance spring styles exhibited were well patronized. Travel was less impeded by adverse weather and visiting buyers appeared in increased numbers, resulting in augmented dealings throughout the jobbing lines."

"Shipments of grain, including 1,022,477 bushels of corn, aggregated 2,225,669 bushels, an increase of fully 7 per cent over one year ago. Receipts at primary markets have become heavier, farmers finding prices advantageous. The speculative markets were strongly influenced by various bullish conditions in addition to the war news, and quotations advanced easily, the closings compared with a week ago showing gains in the May options, for wheat 7 cents, corn 2½ cents and oats 2½ cents."

"The market for provisions was very active and closed with advances in pork 75 cents per barrel, in ribs 30 cents and lard, 17½ cents. Receipts of live stock were 419,159 head, compared with 301,327 head a year ago. There was a fair shipping demand for choice hives, but the heavy receipts noted were not conducive to better prices than ruled the previous week, and hogs and sheep were unchanged."

BEDFORD GRAND JURY DELAYS SCHAFER CASE

Opinion Grows That Detectives Have Not Got Evidence to Convict McDonald of Murder.

Bedford, Ind., Feb. 20.—The delay in the grand jury taking up the charges of the murder of Sarah Schaffer, the Latin school teacher, is causing a great deal of doubt in the minds of citizens as to whether the detectives have the evidence they claim to possess necessary to convict the accused.

The report is current that this evidence in their possession is not to be used against McDonald for the murder, but that he is to be prosecuted for perjury, and is being held for that purpose. Detective Reed returned to Bloomington to make one more effort to get a confession from McDonald of the killing. The prisoner spends the greater part of his time reading the Bible.

His wife is engaged in making a thorough canvass to obtain money by donations from all who will aid her to raise the necessary funds to employ an attorney to defend her husband. It is reported that McDonald implicated another man in the murder, but when this was run down the man proved beyond any doubt his whereabouts at the time of the murder.

"Until the grand jury dictates or refuses to indict McDonald public opinion will be divided as to his guilt."

LA FOLLETTE WOULD MAKE THE RAILROADS TELL ALL

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The Wisconsin state house should be allowed to so nearly offend the spirit of the anti-pass law as Judge Hancock had done. This was taken by the followers of the governor as a vigorous handling of the situation and by the opponents and others as a thick coat of whitewash. Since that incident Frank T. Tucker, law examiner in the office of the attorney general, was charged with and confessed to having possessed a free railroad pass. A few days later the same charge was made against Second Assistant Attorney General Walter D. Corrigan. He did not confess, nor did he enter a denial to the charge. When a reporter sought to interview him upon the subject, Mr. Corrigan threw the reporter out of the attorney general's offices.

Judge Hancock was a candidate for congress against Congressman J. W. Babcock in the Third district and in the caucus held Friday of this week was badly beaten in his own Richland county.

The upshot of the situation is that the administration is said to have determined that the names of the stalwarts and his political opponents who hold free passes from the railroads shall be secured as soon as practicable and made public, so that the public shall not be allowed to believe that the holders of passes are limited to members of the faction of the governor.

WITH THE SAGES.

The unspoken word never does harm.—Kosuth.

Sincerity and truth are the basis of every virtue.—Confucius.

Simplicity, of all things, is the hardest to be copied.—Steele.

None preaches better than the ant, and she says nothing.—Franklin.

As every thread of gold is valuable, so every minute of time.—Mason.

Well arranged time is the surest mark of a well arranged mind.—Pitman.

Do not love life? Then waste not time, for time is the stuff that life is made of.—Franklin.

Do little things now; so shall big things come to thee by and by asking to be done.—Persian Proverb.

The best manner of avenging ourselves is by not resembling him who has injured us.—Jane Porter.

If a rich man is proud of his wealth he should not be praised until it is known how he employs it.—Socrates.

The difficult part of good temper consists in forbearance and accommodation to the ill humors of others.—Empson.

How great a pity that we should not feel for what end we are born into this world, till just as we are leaving it.—Walsingham.

Riches without charity are nothing worth. They are a blessing only to him who makes them a blessing to others.—Fielding.

Believe nothing against another, but on good authority; nor report what may hurt another, unless it be a greater hurt to some other to conceal it.—Perrin.

The greatest and most amiable privilege which the rich enjoy over the poor is that which they exercise the least—the privilege of making others happy.—Colton.

MUSINGS.

The handsomer a man is the less use other men have for him.

You can nearly always flatter a man by telling him he can't be flattered.

There are a number of two-faced women outside the freak museums.

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Every man is introduced to a lot of people who don't care to know him.

The feminine idea of a spendthrift is another woman who lives beyond her allomony.

No man fully appreciates hash until after he has eaten dinner at a cooking school.

If the uses of adversity are sweet there ought to be more sugar-cured hams on the stage.

Opportunity occasionally meets a man half way, but she seldom comes after him in an automobile.

One trouble with a great many people who don't know good music from bad is that they don't know it.

Even the archin who attends Sunday school regularly has some serious and painful misunderstandings with his parents.

WITH THE PHYSICIAN.

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To fear nothing.

To stop scolding.

To stop worrying.

To stop gossiping.

To work earnestly.

To speak kindly or keep silence.

To laugh a lot more than we did last year.

To think of our own faults before criticizing others.

And the chances are the world will get on better and we shall find ourselves ten times happier and more prosperous at the end of another year.

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